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2142

November 26, 2003

Sumitake KOBAYASHI et al.

Attorney Docket No. **Application Number** REPLY/AMENDMENT Filing Date FEE TRANSMITTAL First Named Inventor **Group Art Unit** AMOUNT ENCLOSED **Examiner Name** \$0.00

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)											
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	, ,	st Number sly Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations					
TOTAL CLAIMS	11	-	20 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$	0.00				
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	-	4 =	0	X \$ 200.00 =	\$	0.00				
Since an Official	Action set an original of	due date of	November 3	2005, petition is	hereby made for						

Sinc an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160);

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations = Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)

TOTAL FEES DUE = \$ 0.00

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- (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".
- (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".
- (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

METHOD OF PAYMENT

- Check enclosed as payment.
- Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
- \boxtimes No payment is enclosed.

GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

 \boxtimes If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:

Deposit Account No.

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Deposit Account Name

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1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

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Typed Name John C. Garvey Reg. No. 28,607 Signature Date

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 2142

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Sumitake KOBAYASHI et al.

Serial No. 10/721,512

Group Art Unit: 2142

Confirmation No. 6099

Filed: November 26, 2003

Examiner: Cheryl M. Reid

For: MULTIFUNCTION MACHINE, SERVER, MULTIFUNCTION MACHINE/SERVER SYSTEM AND PROGRAM RECORDING MEDIUM

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: BOX AF

This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 3, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on November 3, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.